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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Confirmation No. 2148

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Applicant(s): Brian Christian Orr et al.)
Group Art Unit: 3681)
Examiner: H. Ho)
Title: Method And Design Of An)
Automotive Differential)
Attorney Docket: V201-0077 (46107-0064))

RESPONSE

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Commissioner For Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed December 18, 2003, for which the three-month shortened-statutory period for response is set to expire on March 18, 2004, kindly consider the remarks set forth below: